

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969	
All farms..... number...	643	765	406	436	Land in Farms According to Use					
Land in farms..... acres...	146 323	153 789	119 199	115 284		Total cropland..... farms...	618	734	390	420
Average size of form..... acres...	228	201	294	264		acres.....	70 015	72 444	58 161	57 469
Approximate land area..... acres...	456 640	456 640	456 640	456 640		Harvested cropland..... farms...	588	674	381	405
Proportion in farms..... percent...	32.0	33.7	26.1	25.2		acres.....	47 992	44 184	42 090	37 285
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000...	65 582	31 109	51 395	22 741		Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars...	101,993†	40 665	126,589†	52 157		1 to 9 acres.....	53	68	15	} 126
Average per acre..... dollars...	448	202	431	197		10 to 19 acres.....	59	91	24	
						20 to 29 acres.....	50	62	13	
						30 to 49 acres.....	112	135	51	
Farms by size:						50 to 99 acres.....	161	176	126	137
1 to 9 acres.....	29	16	16	13		100 to 199 acres.....	96	103	95	103
10 to 49 acres.....	56	60	22	9		200 to 499 acres.....	53	37	53	37
50 to 69 acres.....	35	56	18	18		500 to 999 acres.....	3	2	3	2
70 to 99 acres.....	79	102	21	23	1,000 acres and over.....	1	-	1	-	
100 to 139 acres.....	88	130	39	60	Cropland used only for pasture					
140 to 179 acres.....	81	96	44	56	or grazing..... farms...	362	440	219	246	
					acres.....	17 801	20 464	13 524	15 384	
180 to 219 acres.....	50	67	41	57	Other cropland (see text)..... farms...	148	212	80	(NA)	
220 to 259 acres.....	43	57	37	48	acres.....	4 222	7 796	2 547	4 800	
260 to 499 acres.....	116	131	107	103	Total woodland..... farms...	484	632	309	362	
500 to 999 acres.....	53	41	48	40	acres.....	39 780	42 925	31 664	30 369	
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	11	7	11	7	Other land (see text)..... farms...	527	598	332	(NA)	
2,000 acres and over.....	2	2	2	2	acres.....	36 528	38 420	29 374	27 446	
					Irrigated land..... farms...	11	5	6	5	
					acres.....	402	71	337	71	

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms...	80	(NA)		
acres.....	2 547	4 800		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms...	23	28		
acres.....	637	442		
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms...	23	5		
acres.....	409	128		
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms...	13	16		
acres.....	414	842		
Cropland idle..... farms...	37	80		
acres.....	1 087	3 388		
Total woodland..... farms...	309	362		
acres.....	31 664	30 369		
Woodland pastured..... farms...	151	201		
acres.....	7 458	9 565		

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland—Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms...	245	273		
acres.....	24 206	20 804		
Other land..... farms...	332	(NA)		
acres.....	29 374	27 446		
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms...	211	220		
acres.....	22 916	19 962		
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms...	88	112		
acres.....	6 803	6 114		
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms...	141	179		
acres.....	16 113	13 848		
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms...	297	299		
acres.....	6 458	7 484		

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969	
All farm operators..... number...	643	765	406	436	Farms by type of organization—Con.					
Land in farms..... acres...	146 323	153 789	119 199	115 284		Partnership..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	43	42
Harvested cropland..... acres...	47 992	44 184	42 090	37 285		Land in farms..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	21 560	17 173
Farms by tenure of farm operator:						Corporation..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	3	2
Full owners..... number...	413	561	221	278		Land in farms..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	3 517	1 533
Land in farms..... acres...	73 516	100 591	50 880	68 260		Other..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres...	20 052	24 850	15 590	19 282		acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number...	194	174	167	137		Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms..... acres...	67 369	49 403	64 272	44 439		Under 25 years.....	11	15	11	11
Harvested cropland..... acres...	25 997	17 902	25 043	16 923		25 to 34 years.....	75	78	42	45
Tenants..... number...	36	30	18	21		35 to 44 years.....	142	158	92	95
Land in farms..... acres...	5 438	3 795	4 047	2 585		45 to 54 years.....	154	187	111	117
Harvested cropland..... acres...	1 943	1 432	1 457	1 080		55 to 64 years.....	142	206	88	116
Percent of tenancy.....	5.6	3.9	4.4	4.8		65 years and over.....	116	121	59	52
					Average age.....	50.9	50.8	49.9	49.5	
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²					
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated.....	548	664	356	397	
All farm operators..... number...	5	(NA)	-	2	On another farm.....	6	-	4	-	
Land in farms..... acres...	332	(NA)	-	106	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	12	66	7	16	
Harvested cropland..... acres...	100	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	16	-	6	-	
Full owners..... number...	3	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²					
Land in farms..... acres...	174	(NA)	-	-	None.....	259	(NA)	212	(NA)	
Harvested cropland..... acres...	50	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days.....	24	45	18	30	
Part owners..... number...	2	(NA)	-	2	50 to 99 days.....	18	18	13	12	
Land in farms..... acres...	158	(NA)	-	106	100 to 149 days.....	13	6	6	6	
Harvested cropland..... acres...	50	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days.....	23	40	12	16	
Tenants..... number...	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over.....	219	291	75	77	
Land in farms..... acres...	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation:²					
Harvested cropland..... acres...	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	369	(NA)	316	(NA)	
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	271	(NA)	87	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....					
Individual or family..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	360	392		(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)	
Land in farms..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	94 122	96 578	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....					
						(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)	

¹1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	29	53	29	53			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	123		123				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	95	132	95	132			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	69	123	69	123			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	73	40	73			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	48	41	48			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	246	336	9	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	43	27	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	37	24	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	39	57	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	127	228	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	16 265	9 962	16 005	9 696			
Average per farm dollars	25 296	13 021	39 422	22 239			
Crops, including hay							
farms	241	322	125	(NA)			
\$1,000	859	816	757	508			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	23		16	9			
\$1,000	354		345	190			
Forest products							
farms	44	67	32	33			
\$1,000	60	65	56	59			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	525	591	365	404			
\$1,000	14 992	9 080	14 848	8 940			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	56	(NA)	32	30			
\$1,000	656	(NA)	650	424			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms	125			(NA)			
\$1,000	757			508			
Grains							
farms	24			26			
\$1,000	91			35			
Tobacco							
farms	-			-			
\$1,000	-			-			
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms	-			-			
\$1,000	-			-			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms	91			88			
\$1,000	392			202			
Other field crops							
farms	8			7			
\$1,000	22			27			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms	23			20			
\$1,000	108			73			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms	10			6			
\$1,000	144			170			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	365			404			
\$1,000	14 848			8 940			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	32			30			
\$1,000	650			424			
Dairy products							
farms	273			335			
\$1,000	12 263			7 184			
Cattle and calves							
farms	347			(NA)			
\$1,000	1 846			1 275			
Hogs and pigs							
farms	27			(NA)			
\$1,000	28			57			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms	10						
\$1,000	5						
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms	21						
\$1,000	55						

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	272	(NA)	69	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms	237
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	171	(NA)	102	(NA)	\$1,000		1 836
Customwork and other agricultural services	46	60	23	34	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms	30
\$1,000	28	58	24	51	\$1,000		230
Recreational services	17	13	6	7	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms	153
\$1,000	40	24	2	23	\$1,000		1 300
Government farm programs	83	180	62	84	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms	133
\$1,000	45	68	38	43	\$1,000		125
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	46	(NA)	17	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms	40
\$1,000	38	(NA)	23	(NA)	\$1,000		121
Other farm-related sources	25	(NA)	18	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms	34
\$1,000	26	(NA)	17	(NA)	\$1,000		60
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	53	(NA)	26	(NA)			
\$1,000	47	(NA)	20	(NA)			

¹See text. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses	641	765	406	436	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	406	429	304	300
\$1,000	13 628	7 963	13 195	7 519	\$1,000	219	97	209	90
Farms with --					Commercial fertilizer purchased	397	432	309	308
\$1 to \$999	91	170	2	19	\$1,000	472	226	459	215
\$1,000 to \$1,999	83	123	18		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	284	(NA)	226	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	40	46	13	22	\$1,000	165	106	159	94
\$3,000 to \$4,999	69	59	26	39	Lime	(NA)	186	88	129
\$5,000 to \$9,999	84	113	73	102	\$1,000	(NA)	59	64	50
\$10,000 to \$19,999	63		63	128	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	632	762	406	436
\$20,000 to \$39,999	96		96	98	\$1,000	632	374	570	324
\$40,000 to \$59,999	65		65		farms	(NA)	(NA)	405	432
\$60,000 and over	50		50	28	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	388	249
Livestock and poultry purchased	341	384	203	225	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	184	112
\$1,000	1 236	752	1 171	703	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	100	27
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	541	641	364	403	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	58	71
\$1,000	5 181	2 682	5 075	2 595	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	23	8
Commercially mixed formula feeds	471	512	352	374	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	406	435
\$1,000	4 528	2 339	4 463	2 284	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	40
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	62	42	Hired farm labor	228	347	195	270
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	247	114	\$1,000	773	562	764	546
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	78	56	farms	13	181	7	8
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	204	125	\$1,000	11	35	10	2
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	81	79	Machine hire and customwork	152		127	131
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	71	\$1,000	62		57	28
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	294	(NA)	farms	582	682	404	435
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	179	(NA)	\$1,000	4 876	3 128	4 544	2 923
					All other production expenses				

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	617	757	395	433					
farms.....	12 880	7 639	10 672	6 167					
\$1,000.....	20 875	10 090	27 018	14 241					
dollars.....									
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	22	33	80					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	109	287	52	111					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	129	176	80	139					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	117	161	82	53					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	105		93	37					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	97	111	35	13					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	39		20						
\$70,000 and over.....	20								
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms..	494	617	339	368					
number.....	640	842	445	476					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	338	535	230	309					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms..	479	505	324	349					
number.....	643	686	472	491					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	242	313	190	231					
Wheel tractors..... farms..	584	707	376	415					
number.....	1 445	1 594	1 103	1 070					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	247	425	217	308					
Crawler tractors..... farms..	83		65	74					
number.....	87		68	77					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	11		4	18					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..	19	18	15	15					
number.....	19	18	15	15					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	3	5	3	5					
Corn heads for combines..... farms..	16	43	15	11					
number.....	18	47	17	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	1	22	1	8					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms..	42		40	31					
number.....	46		44	32					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	14		14	14					
Mower conditioners..... farms..	260	(NA)	212	(NA)					
number.....	276	(NA)	224	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	121	(NA)	117	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms..	406	490	292	336					
number.....	418	509	304	349					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	95	198	91	165					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..	119	(NA)	83	99					
number.....	124	(NA)	86	102					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	35	(NA)	33	73					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms..	236	(NA)	219	190					
number.....	268	(NA)	250	208					
mfd in last 5 years, number..	81	(NA)	80	106					

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry.....1974..	561	(X)	368	(X)	525	(X)	365	(X)	14 848
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974..	528	(X)	355	(X)	488	(X)	350	(X)	1 880
1969.....	571	(X)	381	(X)	556	(X)	391	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974..	512	28 356	351	26 211	470	12 766	347	12 024	1 846
1969.....	559	23 677	377	21 509	538	12 998	386	12 204	1 275
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974..	48	134	12	33	83	(D)	22	(D)	(D)
5 to 9.....1974..	38	268	4	23	73	516	30	212	49
10 to 19.....1974..	79	1 100	27	398	98	1 437	84	1 271	196
20 to 49.....1974..	143	4 700	105	3 681	155	4 857	150	4 721	532
50 to 99.....1974..	130	9 260	129	9 182	50	3 323	50	3 323	449
100 to 199.....1974..	53	6 790	53	6 790	6	742	6	742	106
200 to 499.....1974..	21	6 104	21	6 104	4	1 146	4	1 146	341
500 and over.....1974..	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..	471	16 799	338	15 661	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	482	13 768	353	13 141	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974..	201	1 962	97	1 110	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	1 396	58	899	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974..	357	14 837	293	14 551	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	397	12 372	337	12 242	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	273	(X)	12 263
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	335	(X)	7 184
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows.....	201	1 962	97	1 110	Cattle sold.....		301	3 960	1 369
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	88	(D)	39	(D)	1 to 4.....	83	(D)	(D)	(D)
5 to 9.....	34	231	14	90	5 to 9.....	99	659	215	
10 to 19.....	54	701	27	344	10 to 19.....	69	923	287	
20 to 49.....	23	711	15	484	20 to 49.....	41	1 105	353	
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	7	455	197	
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	-	-	-	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	357	14 837	293	14 551	Calves sold.....	298	8 064	477	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	46	68	15	21	1 or 2.....	18	22	2	
3 or 4.....	24	80	8	27	3 or 4.....	10	35	2	
5 to 9.....	12	96	4	32	5 to 9.....	24	167	7	
10 to 19.....	30	411	21	289	10 to 19.....	87	1 210	42	
20 to 49.....	133	4 735	133	4 735	20 to 49.....	132	4 053	145	
50 to 99.....	88	5 789	88	5 789	50 to 99.....	21	1 293	49	
100 to 199.....	20	2 738	20	2 738	100 to 199.....	3	434	8	
200 to 499.....	4	920	4	920	200 to 499.....	3	850	223	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-	

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Heifers and heifer calves.....	1974.....	302	9 139	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	1974.....	29	235	78
	1969.....	350	7 492		1969.....	8	385	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	1974.....	75	967	Farms with—				
Milk heifers.....	1974.....	260	8 172	1 to 9.....	1974.....	18	71	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	1974.....	200	1 411	10 to 19.....	1974.....	9	106	31
	1969.....	226	876	20 to 49.....	1974.....	2	58	(D)
				50 to 99.....	1974.....	—	—	—
				100 to 199.....	1974.....	—	—	—
				200 to 499.....	1974.....	—	—	—
				500 and over.....	1974.....	—	—	—

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales					
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Hogs and pigs.....	1974.....	103	729	57	533	54	631	27	497	28
	1969.....	52	624	25	489	20	1 175	10	923	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4.....	1974.....	68	169	38	101	30	69	9	21	1
5 to 9.....	1974.....	24	154	11	69	7	45	5	33	3
10 to 24.....	1974.....	5	65	2	22	10	178	7	132	8
25 to 49.....	1974.....	3	82	3	82	5	163	4	135	8
50 to 99.....	1974.....	2	129	2	129	1	75	1	75	5
100 to 199.....	1974.....	1	130	1	130	1	101	1	101	3
200 to 499.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	267	12	224	6
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	190	3	9	(NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	1974.....	34	595	17	223	20	344	9	157	(NA)
	1969.....	30	737	4	230	17	545	3	213	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	151	684
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	(X)	5
Goats.....	1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
	1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	1974.....	172	782	91	489	29	101	19	70	32
	1969.....	195	780	(NA)	(NA)	22	44	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Inventory						
	Farms	Number	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
			Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....	1974.....	16	171	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
	1969.....	8	114	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	1974.....	32	102	23	82
Other hogs and pigs.....	1974.....	55	362		1969.....	14	140	8	102
	1969.....	21	375	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	1974.....	15	31	10	24
Lambs under 1 year old.....	1974.....	10	45		1969.....	11	77	6	61
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	1974.....	14	163	June 1 and November 30.....	1974.....	29	71	20	58
Rams and wethers.....	1974.....	14	15		1969.....	14	63	8	41

¹Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Any poultry.....	1974.....	93	(X)	51	(X)	35	(X)	23	(X)
	1969.....	(NA)	(X)	50	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	1974.....	87	49 897	45	47 957	25	37 271	17	36 793
	1969.....	107	52 964	46	50 111	31	35 359	18	33 794
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	1974.....	85	48 979	45	47 135	25	37 237	17	36 793
	1969.....	98	49 947	41	48 014	25	33 922	18	33 117
Farms with—									
1 to 99.....	1974.....	63	1 836	28	820	11	254	5	82
100 to 399.....	1974.....	11	1 643	6	815	3	547	1	275
400 to 1,599.....	1974.....	3	2 400	3	2 400	8	8 222	8	8 222
1,600 to 3,199.....	1974.....	5	11 700	5	11 700	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	1974.....	7	913	5	893	8	1 385	3	1 123
	1969.....	3	550	1	500	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	56	656	32	650
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	30	424

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Inventory		Sales			Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1974.....	45	47 135	17	36 793	Turkeys.....1974.....	3	120	3	9 060
.....1969.....	41	48 014	18	33 117	.....1969.....	2	40	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	45	47 135	17	36 793	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	3	120	3	9 060
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974.....	3	120	3	9 060
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	1	800	-	-	Light breed.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	6	1 925	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	-	-	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	9	22	-	-	.....1969.....	-	-	1	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	2	1 500	-	-	Other poultry.....1974.....	6	(X)	1	(X)
					.....1969.....	8	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	316	278	11 065	6 634	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	19	18	248	161	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	7	13	187	100	7 580	4 290
Other small grains for grain.....	96	139	1 378	1 801	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	30	(NA)	50	(NA)	5 432	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	531	608	35 962	35 091	64 395	60 151
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	39	51	252	293	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	20	24	216	301	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	21	11	56	32	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	32	(NA)	52	92	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	55	38	1 354	901	99 295	87 535	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	256	232	9 425	5 377	117 586	79 192	2	2
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	3	17	19	189	(X)	(X)	-	280
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	13	(NA)	193	133	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	156	127	5 824	5 267	13 784	12 224	-	-

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	219	13 524	(X)	-	-	19	290	19	24	-	-
.....1969.....	246	15 384	(X)	-	-	31	1 347	31	183	-	-
Improved pasture.....1974.....	88	6 803	(X)	-	-	10	521	10	59	-	-
.....1969.....	112	6 114	(X)	-	-	28	846	28	142	-	-
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	273	10 798	(X)	2	280	243	9 636	242	1 848	28	89
.....1969.....	241	6 467	(X)	2	40	216	6 018	215	1 238	9	29
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	13	193	(X)	-	-	8	140	8	25	-	-
.....1969.....	14	133	(X)	-	-	12	96	12	28	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	7	187	7 580	-	-	2	90	2	3	-	-
.....1969.....	11	94	4 090	-	-	4	50	(NA)	14	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	75	1 247	65 725	-	-	57	1 041	57	147	1	3
.....1969.....	110	1 576	75 491	-	-	66	993	(NA)	155	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	2	20	400	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	3	36	(X)	-	-	2	30	2	5	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	348	30 493	56 910	-	-	89	4 002	89	498	3	4
.....1969.....	365	28 682	52 086	-	-	77	2 900	77	360	-	-
Field seed crops.....1974.....	1	12	(X)	-	-	1	12	1	3	-	-
.....1969.....	3	60	(X)	-	-	3	60	3	11	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	10	32	3 897	1	10	4	30	4	12	-	-
.....1969.....	9	46	7 862	-	-	6	44	(NA)	32	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	27	240	(X)	3	29	25	236	25	56	-	-
.....1969.....	21	224	(X)	1	20	17	214	17	58	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974.....	10	183	(X)	-	-	4	45	4	6	-	-
.....1969.....	8	258	(X)	-	-	6	220	6	17	-	-

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	6	35	(X)	2	18	3	19	3	2	-	-
1974	5	15	(X)	1	3	3	2	3	1	-	-
1969	16	7	(X)	1	1	5	3	3	1	4	1
Nursery and greenhouse products	9	2	(X)	2	1	5	2	5	1	1	(Z)
1974	3	18	(X)	-	-	3	18	-	-	-	-
1969											
Other crops											

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
..... farms	315		332		Diseases in crops and orchards	5		2	
..... \$1,000	617		308		..... farms	152		39	
Commercial fertilizer	309		270		..... acres on which used	5		(Z)	
..... farms	16 172		12 811		Weeds or grass in crops	147		110	
..... acres on which used	2 797		2 271		..... farms	6 725		4 236	
..... \$1,000	459		215		..... acres on which used	53		22	
Lime	88		129		Weeds or brush in pasture	2		-	
..... farms	2 383		2 748		..... farms	12		-	
..... acres on which used	4 996		5 601		..... acres on which used	(Z)		-	
..... \$1,000	64		50		Weeds on all other land	-		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					..... farms	-		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	13		19		..... acres on which used	-		(NA)	
..... farms	645		752		..... \$1,000	-		(NA)	
..... acres on which used	4		2		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
..... \$1,000	49		48		of crops or thinning of fruit	3		4	
Insects on other crops	2 036		986		..... farms	10		179	
..... farms	24		11		..... acres on which used	(Z)		1	
..... \$1,000	3		-		..... \$1,000	47		118	
Nematodes in crops	13		-		Insect control on livestock and poultry	5		7	
..... farms	13		-		..... farms	33		(NA)	
..... acres on which used	(Z)		-		..... \$1,000	3		(NA)	
..... \$1,000					Other chemicals (see text)				

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	6		5		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	1.5		1.1		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	337		71		..... farms	-		(NA)	
Average per farm	56.2		14.2		..... acres	4		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	6		5		Other sprinkler systems	57		(NA)	
..... farms	337		71		..... farms	3 178		2 134	
Harvested cropland irrigated	6		5		Land in irrigated farms	1 024		911	
..... farms	337		64		..... acres	687		426	
..... acres	-		-		Harvested cropland				
Cropland pasture irrigated	-		-		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
..... farms	-		-		between 1970 and 1973	1		(X)	
..... acres .....	-		-		..... farms	10		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	-		(NA)		..... acres irrigated in most recent year	49		63	
..... farms	-		7		Farms with artificial drainage	12.1		14.4	
..... acres	-		-		Proportion of farms	20 011		20 776	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-		-		Land in farms with drainage	1 800		2 710	
..... farms .....	-		-		..... acres	36.7		43.0	
..... acres	-		-		Average per farm				
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	129		30		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Average per acre irrigated	0.4		0.4		tanks	132		(NA)	
Land irrigated by—					..... farms	266		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches	2		(NA)		..... number	182		(NA)	
..... farms	280		(NA)		..... acres				
..... acres									

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)			205		139		154	
..... farms			9 084		5 763		3 321	
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			31		15		39	
\$5,000 to \$9,999			24		17		28	
\$10,000 to \$29,999			56		36		49	
\$30,000 to \$49,999			29		29		24	
\$50,000 and over			65		42		14	

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—											
150 days or more	89	79	165	123	546		195	89	91	102	
25 to 149 days	91	233	222	662	175	546	764	546	175	43	
Less than 25 days	102		316		10		703	165	222	316	
Total contract labor	7	8	(NA)	(NA)							
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	7	(NA)	5	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker							64	47	38	42	
2 workers							42	29	25	16	
3 or 4 workers							39	9	17	22	
5 to 9 workers							41	3	10	19	
10 workers and over							9	1	1	3	